



## **NORTH SHORE PEST CONTROL, INC.**

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### **TO PREPARE FOR FLEA TREATMENT**

1. Vacuum entire home and discard vacuum cleaner bag.
2. Pick up house – nothing on the floor (toys, videogames, clothing, etc.)
3. Pet bowls and toys should be off the floor.
4. Pet bedding should be laundered.
5. Have your pet professionally treated for fleas at this time.

### **WHAT TO EXPECT AFTER A FLEA TREATMENT**

1. All people and pets must be out of the house during and at least 4 hours after the treatment.
2. Resume normal vacuuming 24 hours after your home has been treated. **DO NOT STEAM CLEAN.**
3. Continue vacuuming every 3-4 days for 3 weeks. This is necessary to stimulate unhatched fleas to emerge from their protective pupae cases.
4. Don't be alarmed if you continue to see fleas for up to 3 weeks after treatment. These fleas are newly hatched from their protective pupae cases. Once exposed to the insecticide residual, they will also be eliminated.
5. If you continue to see flea activity after 30 days a second application may be needed. This is available at a reduced cost if performed 30 – 60 days from your initial treatment date.